

CRESTVIEW GROUP AGREEMENT

At Crestview, a group is **people that grow spiritually through significant relationships**. We believe those relationships are formed more naturally by life stage.

A key in forming those significant relationships and growing spiritually will be to focus on our core values. We believe this is a natural process and supports the biblical principle found in Hebrews 10:24-25 as well as our purpose of "Helping Others Experience Life Change Through Jesus Christ"

A Typical Group Meeting will involve these values to encourage spiritual growth through significant relationships.

The Bible is the basis of everything we do. Review the study designed to promote conversation and go deeper into biblical principles. Many times this will be a sermon based study. The overall goal is to learn to live out our faith in Jesus in our everyday life together while applying the Biblical principles we learn.

Groups show **community** through praying for each other, offering encouragement, listening, and even challenging one another through mutual accountability.

Over time, growing to know each other's needs will help you serve each other and those in the community around you. We ask that each group practices **generosity** in our community through a community project a minimum of once a session (3 times a year) .We also recommend that everyone demonstrates **ownership** through serving in our church.

AUTHENTIC Each week it will be important to share what's happening in our lives. At first, we'll likely use provided questions to share, however after a short time, it's likely this will become informal and more personal as you get to know each other. **Authenticity** and growing in trust is crucial to spiritual and relationship growth.

We understand that to be a healthy group we need to.......

- 1. Make spiritual growth our number one priority. (Colossians 1:9-10)
- 2. Accept one another. (Romans 15:7)
- 3. Take care of each other (Galatians 6:2)
- 4. Treat each other with respect (Ephesians 4:2)
- 5. Keep our commitments (Psalm 15:1-5)

We will meet on	for	weeks.	Our final meetin	g of this session
will be				
We agree to do our best	to arrive prio	r to our m	eeting start at	(a.m. /
p.m.). We agree to comr	nunicate to t	he group l	eader if significa	nt situations
cause us to miss a meet	ing.			

We agree to commit to each other by attending each week and reviewing our "homework" prior to the regular scheduled meeting. Obviously, circumstances may prevent some of us meeting at times, but we agree commitment is the key to a healthy group.

We agree to support the core values outlined in this agreement.

We agree that group discussions are confidential.

Each member should indicate agreement by signing here <u>when ready</u>. It's expected some may wait to sign by the end of the third week to ensure the group is a right fit for them.

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